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## REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION

Under Rule 53(a), (b) & (f)  
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APPLICATION**RULE 53(f) NO DECLARATION**Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application (☐ Design ☒ Utility) entitled:

2. (Complete) Title: ID INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD

without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following:

3. ☒ Abstract 1 page(s).4. 33 Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims); 5. ☐ Specification in non-English language

6. 37 Numbered claim(s); and

7. ☒ Drawings: 17 sheet(s) ☒ 1 set informal; 8. ☐ formal of size: ☐ A4 ☐ 11"9. **DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
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10. **FOREIGN** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in Japan

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(3)		(4)	
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11. (No.) Certified copy (copies): ☐ attached; ☐ previously filed (date) \_\_\_\_\_  
in U.S. Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_12. ☐ This is a reissue of Patent No. \_\_\_\_\_13. ☐ See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 14 or 15.)14. ☐ **Amend the specification** by inserting before the first line -- This is a ☐ Continuation-in-Part  
☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation ☐ Substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of:14(a) ☐ National Appln. No. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ filed ☐ -- (M#) \_\_\_\_\_14(b) ☐ International Appln. No. **PCT/** \_\_\_\_\_ filed ☐ which  
designated the U.S., and that International Application ☐ was ☐ was not published  
under PCT Article 21(2) in English.--15. ☐ **Amend the specification** by inserting before the first line: --This application  
claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/ \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_ --16. Extension to date: ☐ concurrently filed ☐ not needed ☐ previously filed17. ☒ Small Entity Status is claimed (**pre-filing confirmation required**)17(a) ☐ Attached: (No.) Small Entity Statement(s). (Since 9/8/00 Small Entity Statement **not essential** to make claim)17(b) ☐ See **NONPUBLICATION REQUEST** under Rule 213(a) attached (PAT-258)

18. ☐ Prior application is assigned to

by Assignment recorded \_\_\_\_\_ Reel \_\_\_\_\_ Frame \_\_\_\_\_

19. ☐ Attached:20. This application is made by the following named inventor(s) (Double check instructions for accuracy):  
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